

Family

Colby students cast ballots



Clae Schmidt (from left), Amber McDonald, Maegan Seifried and Kevin Besser cast their ballots for president in a mock election at the Colby Grade School on Election Day. Volunteers from the Retired Senior Volunteer Program helped out. Students in kindergarten through fifth grade voted. The results reflected their parents' preferences: Sen. John McCain, 225, and Sen. Barack Obama, 98.

Senior Center

Activities for next week at the Senior Progress Center:  
Monday, cookies and hot drinks; Tuesday, 10 a.m. exercise, 11 a.m. Bingo, no transportation bus; Wednesday, taffy day; Thursday, 10 a.m. exercise, and 12:45 a.m. card party; Friday, 10 a.m. exercise, 10:30 snack day.  
Special activities planned for November: Wednesday, Nov. 19, November birthday party; Thursday, Nov. 20, domino game; Friday, Nov. 21, Colby Community College nurse brunch, and Tuesday, Nov. 25, Thanksgiving party.

Menus for the week:  
Monday: barbecued meat balls, broccoli, parsley potatoes and apricots.  
Tuesday: ham and beans, orange-pineapple salad, cornbread

and cook's choice complement.  
Wednesday: sloppy joes, tater tots, seasoned carrots, bun and fruit cup No. 1.  
Thursday: chicken fajita pasta

salad, rosy pears, tortilla chips and fruit cobbler.  
Friday: hamburger steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans and Jello with mixed fruit.

Deaths

W.J. Trachsel Jr.

W.J. Trachsel Jr., 76, a lifelong Sherman County resident, died Friday, Oct. 31, 2008, in Los Angeles following an extended illness.  
He was born April 19, 1932, in Goodland, the son of Walter James and Foresta (Briggs) Trachsel. Following his mother's death, his father married Maxine Jones in 1949. Mr. Trachsel graduated from Sherman Community High School in Goodland in 1950.  
He married Bonnie J. Martin in 1954 and served in the Marine Corps until June 1, 1959. Later, he was a farmer and a rancher in Sherman County.  
He was a member of the Goodland First United Methodist Church, serving on several committees; the board of the Federal

Land Bank; the Goodland American Legion Post; the Goodland Airport Committee; and the Black and Gold Booster Club. He enjoyed the years he served on the Sherman County Fair Board, especially serving as horse project superintendent.  
Preceding him in death were his parents, his step-mother, Maxine Trachsel, and a brother, Alan Trachsel.  
Survivors includes his wife, Bonnie Trachsel of the home; two daughters, Karlene Trachsel and Charlene (David) Avila, and a son, Cleve (Sandy) Trachsel, all of Goodland; a brother, Ron (Pat) Trachsel of Paola; and two half sisters, Georgia Trachsel of Australia and Cady (Bob) Aspinwall, Denver; and eight grandchildren.

Services were to be Friday at 11 a.m. (Central Time) at the church, with Dr. Chet Ross officiating, and burial in the Goodland Cemetery. Visitation was to be Thursday at Koons Chapel in Goodland.  
Memorials to the Black and Gold Booster Club or the church may be left at or mailed to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

B. Cersovsky

Barbara Cersovsky, 66, Colby, died Friday, Nov. 7, 2008, at her home. Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby.

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$4.79
Corn	\$3.42
Milo	\$5.05
Soybeans	\$7.69

Pittsburg recount possible

PITTSBURG (AP) — Problems with one vote-reading machine and a pile of provisional ballots have made the race for Crawford County attorney too close to call.  
The problem occurred because a scanner for three precincts in this southeast Kansas county was programmed wrong. Crawford County Clerk Don Pyle says the machine switched votes in four races.  
The biggest impact is on the county attorney race between Republican Michael Gayoso Jr. and Democratic incumbent John Gutierrez.  
Gayoso leads by fewer than 100 votes, with more than 800 provisional ballots to be counted.  
Pyle sai he is reviewing the re-

sults and the machines to see if the election should be recounted, perhaps as early as next week.

Attention!

Members of Ladies Auxiliary American Legion Post 363 Colby, Kansas

Dear Members:  
The Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Post 363 will hold a meeting on Monday, November 10, 2008 at the American Legion Post Home in Colby, 1850 West Fourth Street at 6:30 p.m.  
The meeting will begin with a meal and then regular business and reorganization of the Post Ladies Auxiliary.  
The Sixth District American Legion Conference is scheduled for April 18-19, 2009 in Colby. The President of the Sixth District Ladies Auxiliary, Nancy Evans, has expressed interest in helping Post 363 Ladies Auxiliary get organized to host this event.  
All members and prospective members who are interested in participation are invited to this meeting and meal. Relatives of U.S. Veterans from any generation are eligible for membership in the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary.



Worship in the church of your choice this weekend.



ASCENSION-ON-THE-PRAIRIE EPISCOPAL, Rev. Don Martin, College Drive & Wheatridge Rd., 462-3041, Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m. every Sunday. Evening Prayer, 5:15 p.m. Wednesday, September through May. Christian Education for Youth, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, September through May

Schedule of church services

- COLBY INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH**, 730 E. 3rd (former Jaycee's building), Pastor Bernard Heinz, 460-0313, Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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**COLLEGE DRIVE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**, Pastor, Jeremy Gundling, 245 W. College Dr. - 462-8234, Sunday School 9 a.m., Worship Service 10:15 a.m., Sunday evening Prayer Service 6:30 p.m., Wed 3:30 Rock out @ The Rock, Wed. 7 p.m. Youth @ The Rock. E-mail: cdag@st-tel.net. www.collegedriveonline.com

**BEREAN CHURCH**, 1000 S. Franklin, 460-2763, www.colbyborean.com; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. Awana Clubs, Wednesday, 7 p.m., Middle & High School, Wednesday, 7 p.m. @ the Heartland Christian School Gym

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**, (Affiliated with American Baptist Churches USA) Carroll H. Morony, Pastor, 615 W. Webster, 462-2867. Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.; Family Worship: 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening Bible Study: 7 p.m.; Wednesday afternoon Bible Study: 3 p.m.; RC Club 2nd & 4th Sunday: 2 p.m.

**COLLEGE VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH**, Pastor Tom Huffman, 1185 Wheatridge Rd. at College Drive, 460-7144, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship services, 10:45 a.m.

**MINGO BIBLE CHURCH**, 420 Main Mingo, 785-462-2992: An independent community church served by Village Missions Intern Pastor Pat Colley. Sunday School: 9:30AM - all ages. Sunday Services: 10:45AM. Sunday Nights: 1st Sunday of the month: potluck following morning service - no evening service; 2nd Sunday: services at 6:30 PM; 3rd Sunday: informal fellowship - bring a snack to share!; 4th and 5th Sunday: services at 6:30 p.m.
- SACRED HEART CATHOLIC**, 462-2179, Father Dana Clark, Pastor, Saturday Eve. Mass 5:30 p.m., Sunday Masses 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., Confessions will be heard Saturday 4:30-5:05 p.m. and from 7:30-7:45 a.m. and 9:25-9:40 a.m. on Sunday.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, Rev. Carol Rahn, 515 W. 4th, 462-6342, Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m.

**WESLEYAN CHURCH**, 320 W. Pine - 462-8391, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:40 a.m., Sunday Evening Cell groups at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Youth Ministries, Kids Clubhouse 7 p.m.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS**, 1145 S. Franklin - 460-6605, President Gary Slavens, 460-2656; Jordan Barrett, 1st counselor, 460-1101; Tim Wilson, 2nd counselor, 785-846-7796. Sacrament meeting 10 a.m., Sunday School and Primary 11:20 a.m., Priesthood, Relief Society, YM/YW, 12:10 p.m.; Family History Center open to public, 7-9 p.m. Thursdays or by appointment. Call 462-3571.

**COLBY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, Rev. James Mardock, pastor, 950 S. Franklin, 460-6521, Sunday Worship Services at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m., Fellowship coffee 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, 9:45 a.m., KXXX broadcasts 11:00 worship. www.colbyumc.org

**REDEEMING LOVE MINISTRIES, INC.**, 345 N. Franklin, Dr. W.G. and Rev. Orvella Romine, Equipping Class, Sunday, 10a.m., Sunday worship, 11a.m., Wednesday, R.L.M Training Centers (Bible School), 5 p.m. Shop online at: www.rlmregionalchurch.com

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**, 510 E. 4th, Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday Eve. Worship 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**, (Disciples of Christ), Pastor Pat Stuart and Pastor Lyle Knebel, 385 W. 3rd - 460-2718, Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School at 11:15 a.m. E-mail: fccolby@st-tel.net

**OUR SAVIORS LUTHERAN CHURCH**, Brewster, Sunday worship 9:00 a.m.; 2nd Sunday of the month at 8:00 a.m.
- TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**, Rev. John L. Schmidt, 785-890-3375, 3190 Road 70, Edson, Worship, 9:00 p.m., Sunday; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class 9:15 a.m.; Services, 10:30 a.m. Visit us at www.trinitycolby.com

**PLEASANT HOME CHURCH**, Pastor, Perry Baird, 785-890-3375, 3190 Road 70, Edson, Worship, 9:00 a.m., Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

**LEVANT COMMUNITY CHURCH**, 205 1st St., Pastor Jerry Vincent, 586-2376, Sunday School (classes for 3 years & up and 3 adult classes) 9:30 a.m., Morning worship 10:30 a.m.

**WINONA METHODIST CHURCH**, Rev. Sheryl Johnson, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m., Morning Worship 9:15 a.m. (CDT)

**BREWSTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, PO Box 250, Brewster. Pastor Dorine Chambers, 785-462-6044, Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

**THE SHEPHERD'S STAFF, REXFORD**, Joan Dingwerth, Director, 687-2565

**REXFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH**, Rexford, Pastor Lane Purcell, 687-3305, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

**BREWSTER COMMUNITY CHURCH**, Mike Pinkelman, Pastor, Brewster - 694-2720, Sunday School (all ages) 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a.m., Bible Study 7:00 p.m., Wed. mornings 6:30 a.m. - Men's Bible Study, Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Children's Ministries (Royal Rangers/Missionettes), Wed. 7:15 p.m. - Intercessory & Prayer, Thurs. 4:00 p.m. - Women's Bible Study

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